

**Fouke School Board**  
**Regular Meeting**  
**Minutes**  
**April 13, 2020**

The Fouke School Board met in regular session on Monday, April 13, 2020, 7:30 p.m. at the Fouke Administration Office.

President Drew Chandler called the meeting to order at 7:43 p.m. Other members present were Cory Easley, Vince Coker, John Attaway, Chad Nichols, and Debbie Smith. Lee Ann Doss was absent.

Chad Nichols led in prayer.

Drew Chandler welcomed guests and visitors.

Motion was made by Chad Nichols, seconded by Cory Easley to approve Consent Agenda Items as presented. Motion carried 6-0.

- Approval of Minutes (March 9)

Dr. Buie reported on the financial condition of the district.

Motion was made by Vince Coker, seconded by Chad Nichols to approve financial statements and payments of bills. Motion carried 6-0.

Agenda item #8 was tabled by Dr. Buie.

Motion was made by Debbie Smith, seconded by Cory Easley to approve the 2019 Legislative Audit as presented by Dr. Buie and Vickie Eaves. Motion carried 6-0.

Motion was made by Chad Nichols, seconded by Debbie Smith to approve the COVID-19 Resolution. Motion carried 6-0.

The board went into executive session at 7:48 p.m. to discuss resignation, and rehire, and termination.

The board returned to regular session at 8:36 p.m. and Drew Chandler, President, called the meeting back to order.

Motion was made by Cory Easley, seconded by Chad Nichols to accept items as presented in executive session.

Termination of Candace Richburg for job abandonment effective March 31, 2020. 6-0  
Resignation for retirement of Cheryl Carter as middle school secretary at the conclusion of the 2019-2020 school year. 6-0

Resignation of Heather Lawson as child nutrition clerk at the conclusion of the 2019-2020 school year. 6-0

Resignation for retirement of John Deese (Buddy) as band director at the conclusion of the 2019-2020 school year. 5-1 (Debbie Smith voted no)

Resignation of Kristianna Pecket as high school math teacher at the conclusion of the 2019-2020 school year. 6-0

Rehire Amanda Whitehead as 240 day administrator as assigned. 6-0

Motion was made by Cory Easley, seconded by Debbie Smith to adjourn at 8:37 p.m. Motion carried 6-0.

Minutes recorded by:

Sherry Pilgreen

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Board President

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Board Secretary